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File No. 1158.41319PP4
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In re Application of :
Ganesan et al :
Application No.: 09/387,764 : Group Art Unit: 3628
Filed: September 1, 1999 : Examiner: Nga B. Nguyen
For: ELECTRONIC BILLING WITH UPDATEABLE ELECTRONIC BILL SUMMARY

AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 29, 2002, the time for response to which is up to and including January 29, 2002, please amend the above referenced application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 27.

Please amend the claims 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10, 16, 19, 20, 21, 25, 26 and 28 to read as follows (see also Appendix of claim amendments):

1. (Twice Amended) An electronic bill payment network, comprising:
a plurality of user network stations associated with a plurality of different users, a first of the plurality of user network stations being associated with a first of the plurality of different users and operable to transmit, in real time, information relevant to an

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
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Total Claims	27	28	0	x \$18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	5	5	0	x \$84 =	\$0
Petition for Extension of Time for ____ months					\$0.00
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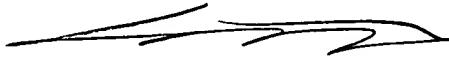
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[X] Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully Submitted,

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